PROCLAMATIONS TO BE SIGNED ON March 11, 2009 @ 10:30 a.m.

1. March 2009 as Mediation Month

Contact: Rachel Lempka

Executive Building, 521 South 14th Street, Suite 200

Lincoln, NE 68508 (402) 471-3148

2. April 2009 as Internet Safety Month

Contact: Liz Eberle Attorney General's Office P.O. Box 98920 Lincoln, NE 68509 (402) 471-2594

3. April 19-25, 2009 as Week of the Young Child

Contact: Patricia Hoffschneider

Nebraska Association for the Education of Young Children

650 J Street, Suite 23 Lincoln, NE 68508 (402) 476-2092

4. March 11, 2009 as Registered Dietitian Day March 2009 as National Nutrition Month

Contact: Nikki Ford 5020 N. 27th Street Lincoln, NE 68521 (402) 477-4764

5. April 13-17, 2009 as Tumor Registrars Week

Contact: Suzanne McKinney Nebraska Cancer Registry 8601 W. Dodge Road, Ste 114A Omaha, NE 68114 (402) 354-3392

6. March 15-21, 2009 as Poison Prevention Week

Contact: Joan McVoy Nebraska Regional Poison Center 8401 W. Dodge Road, Suite 115 Omaha, NE 68114 (402) 955-5555

7. May 4, 2009 as Public Service Recognition Week

Contact: Joseph M. Stefkovich 4930 South 76th Street Lincoln, NE 68516 (402) 488-9692

8. March 2009 as Lymphedema Awareness Month

Contact: Wendy Buchholz

Alegent Health Rehab Clinic 1702 West Broadway, Suite 19 Council Bluffs, IA 51501 (712) 322-4110

9. April 6-10, 2009 as Graduate and Professional Student Appreciation Week

Contact: Emile Salame

University of Nebraska-Lincoln

217 Filley Hall Lincoln, NE 68583 (402) 314-4682

10. April 2009 as Nebraska Public Health Month

Contact: Rita Parris 1321 South 37th Street Lincoln, NE 68510 (402) 483-1039

11. April 2009 as Minority Health Month

Contact: Ellen Mettenbrink DHHS Office of Minority Health P.O. Box 95026 Lincoln, NE 68509 (402) 471-9043

12. April 2009 as Call Before You Dig Awareness Month

Contact: Carl Larsen 439 Beech Street Chadron, NE 69337 (308) 432-2711

13. March 2009 as American Red Cross Month

Contact: Randy Jones American Red Cross - Cornhusker Chapter PO Box 83267 Lincoln, NE 68501 (402) 441-6388

14. March 22, 2009 as Black Marriage Day

Contact: Doris Lassiter Nebraska Center for Healthy Families PO Box 540457 Omaha, NE 68154 (402) 320-2953

15. April 6 - 10, 2009 as Severe Weather Awareness Week

Contact: Jodie Fawl NEMA
1300 Military Road

Lincoln, NE 68508 (402) 471-7428

16. March 20, 2009 as National Native HIV/AIDS Awareness Day

Contact: Dr. Donna Polk-Primm Nebraska Urban Indian Health Coalition 2240 Landon Court Omaha, NE 68102

17. April 19, 2009 as National Auctioneers Day

Contact: Alice Licht Nebraska Auctioneers Association 1335 H Street, Suite 100 Lincoln, NE 68508 (402) 476-1528

18. March 14, 2009 as End Polio Now Day

Contact: Dan Wherry 134 S. 13th Street, Suite 1200 Lincoln, NE 68508

19. March 22 - 28, 2009 as Nebraska Home Education Week

Contact: David Lostroh 514 North First Street Seward, NE 68434 (402) 450-6186

20. April 31, 2009 as Cesar Chavez Learning and Service Day

Contact: Angel Freytez Mexican American Commission 1445 K Street 6th Floor Lincoln, NE 68509 (402) 471-2791

21. 2009 as The Year of the Noncommissioned Officer

Contact: CSM Eli Valenzuela 1517 Kolterman Seward, NE 68434 (402) 326-8953